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CLERK: 15 ayes, 31 nays, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Motion fails. Are we ready to move this bill?

CLERK: No, I have another motion, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: All right.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Kime moves to amend LB 920 as follows. Read amendment. See page 1118, Journal, Stull amendment.

SENATOR KIME: Mr. Chairman.

PRESIDENT: Senator Kime.

SENATOR KIME: Mr. Chairman, members of this body, I ask unanimous consent to withdraw that amendment.

PRESIDENT: Is there an objection? Just a second, Senator Stull, do you object?

SENATOR STULL: Yes, I object. I want this amendment of his and I will tell you why.

PRESIDENT: Senator Kime, you have asked for unanimous consent and Senator Stull objects but I believe the rules provide that you may, without consent, withdraw it. So if you would like to do that, you can but I think Senator Stull, then, would have an opportunity to file a new motion.

SENATOR KIME: I won't insist on it.

SENATOR STULL: He will leave it there?

PRESIDENT: Yes, he is not asking it to be withdrawn now. Now, you are going to move its adoption.

SENATOR STULL: I would move the adoption of Senator Kime's amendment and I think that this is reasonable. The way it is originally I am sure it would just cost someone a lot of money to take that to the Supreme Court and prove to the people that it is unconstitutional. The courts is where these things should be settled, not in some department of state government and I would certainly accept Senator Kime's amendment and I would move the adoption of his amendment. Well, since he withdrew his name, it is my amendment so I would ask you to adopt this amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Koch, would you like to speak on the Kime-Stull amendment.

SENATOR KOCH: Mr. President, members of the body, it appears the two Senators from that part of the state have agreed to this amendment, therefore, I would rise to support Senator Stull's amendment or Senator Kime's amendment because, after all, it is in Senator Kime's district that we were trying to correct a problem, and